

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1872 - HB 2103

March 22, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Enhances sentences of a defendant convicted of manufacture, delivery, sale, or possession with intent to manufacture, deliver or sell of methamphetamine when: (1) a firearm is found on the premises; (2) possession, transportation, or disposal of materials involved in manufacture created a substantial risk to human health or safety or a danger to the environment; (3) a person under the age of 13 was present during the manufacturing process; or (4) the manufacturing was to take place or did take place within 500 feet of a residence, place of business, church or school.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$4,993,100/Incarceration*

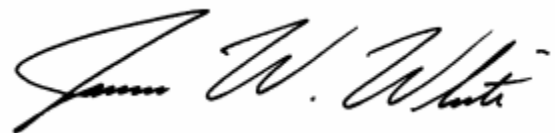
Assumption:

- 513 offenders will have sentences elevated by enhancement factors for various offenses related to methamphetamine ranging from Class E felony to Class B felony convictions.

**Section 9-6-119, TCA, requires that: For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law.*

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director